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Serial No: 09/922,226; Conf.
No. 8912

Filed: August 2, 2001

For: METHODS OF SCREENING FOR
COMPOUNDS THAT MODULATE
HORMONE RECEPTOR ACTIVITY

Group Art Unit: Not assigned

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)
FILING DATE GRANTED

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b) FILING DATE GRANTED, enclosed herewith is the executed Declaration/Power of Attorney in the subject application and formal drawings. Please charge Deposit Account No. 01-0885 in the amount of \$2,930.00 to cover the surcharge for late filing of the Declaration, basic filing fee and additional claim fee. If any additional fee is required, charge Deposit Account No. 01-0885. A duplicate of this letter is enclosed.

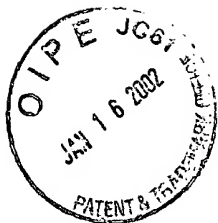
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Specifically, accompanying this communication please find:

- (a) Notice to file Missing Parts
- (b) Transmittal Letter to file Notice to file Missing Parts
- (c) Declaration/Power of Attorney
- (d) Transmittal Letter to file formal drawings
- (e) 22 sheets of formal drawings
- (f) Postcard
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- (h) Extension of Time

Respectfully submitted,

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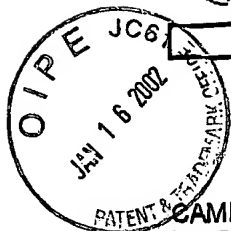
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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$2090.
 - \$1260 for 70 total claims over 20.
 - \$560 for 7 independent claims over 3.
 - \$270 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 2930.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

- This application clearly fails to comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.821-1.825. Applicant's attention is directed to the final rulemaking notice published at 55 FR 18230 (May 1, 1990), and 1114 OG 29 (May 15, 1990). If the effective filing date is on or after July 1, 1998, see the final rulemaking notice published at 63 FR 29620 (June 1, 1998) and 1211 OG 82 (June 23, 1998). If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000). Applicant must provide an initial computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing", an initial paper or compact disc copy of the "Sequence Listing", as well as an amendment directing its entry into the application. Applicant must also provide a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If applicant desires the sequence listing in the instant application to be identical with that of another application on file in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, such request in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e) may be submitted in lieu of a new CRF.

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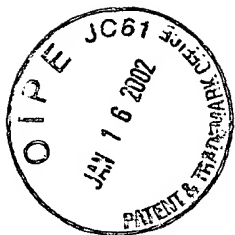
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TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

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Dear Sir:

In response to the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS mailed September 17, 2001, enclosed are twenty-two (22) sheets of formal drawings. Please enter these drawings into the file of the subject application.

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